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<b>RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT</b>  Address to: Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231	Attorney Docket (Confirmation No.)	UCAL263CIP 4882	
	First Named Inventor	J.S. Reid	
	Application Number	09/739,933	
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	Group Art Unit	1647	
	Examiner Name	S.L. Turner	
	Title: "Compositions and methods for manipulating glial progenitor cells and treating neurological deficits"		

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 27, 2002, for which a one-month period for response was given making this response due on or before April 27, 2002. A Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time is submitted herewith, making this amendment due on or before May 27, 2002. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

## I. REMARKS

In the Restriction Requirement, the Examiner required election of one of the following groups of claims:

- Group I: Claims 1-33 drawn to a method for attracting a glial cell progenitor with EGF/ErbB receptor binding agent;
- Group II: Claims 34-53, 61 drawn to a method of ameliorating a neurological deficit by stimulating proliferation with a compound that binds EGF;
- Group III: Claims 54-56, 62 drawn to a method of ameliorating a neurological deficit wherein the compound is not EGF; and
- Group IV: Claims 57-60 drawn to a pharmaceutical composition.

Applicants hereby elect to prosecute the claims of Group I, with traverse.

This election is made with traverse. As stated in the MPEP §803, if search and examination of an entire application can be made without serious burden, the examiner must examine it on the merits, even though it includes claims to independent or distinct inventions. It is Applicants' position that it would not be unduly burdensome to perform a search on claims 1-62 together. Accordingly, Applicants traverse the restriction requirement.

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